## UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT EASTERN DISTRICT OF TENNESSEE AT KNOXVILLE

SAMUEL WHITSON,	
Plaintiff,	
<b>v</b> .	No. 3:05-CV-274 (Phillips)
KNOX COUNTY BOARD OF EDUCATION, et al.,	(i iiiiipo)
Defendants.	

## ORDER

This matter is before the court on various motions filed by the parties. The following action is taken:

- Defendants' motion for sanctions against the Alliance Defense Fund and ADF counsel Nate Kellum for violation of LR 83.2 [Doc. 26] is **DENIED.**
  - 2. Defendants' motion for a protective order [Doc. 48] is **DENIED.**
- 3. Defendant Cathy Summa's motion for protective order [Doc. 52] is **DENIED.**
- Defendants' motion to strike news articles from the Knoxville News
   Sentinel dated May 13, 2005, and WATE and AP news article dated May 13, 2005 [Doc.
   30] is **DENIED.**
- 5. Defendants' motion to strike plaintiff's opposition to motion to strike exhibits as untimely [Doc. 37] is **DENIED.**

6. Defendants' motion to strike the affidavits of D.S., Chad Sparks, Andy Webster, Stephanie Loveday, Tina Whitson and L.W. [Doc. 81] is **DENIED.** 

7. Cathy Summa's motion to incorporate by reference Knox County Board of Education, Charles Lindsey and Cathy Summa, in their official capacities, motion to strike [Doc. 84] is **DENIED AS MOOT.** 

IT IS SO ORDERED.

**ENTER:** 

s/ Thomas W. Phillips
United States District Judge